

**IN THE  
UNITED STATES  
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**IN RE APPLICATION OF:** SWOBODA, et al.

**CASE:** OST-061059

**SERIAL NO.:** 10/574,042

**CONFIRMATION NO.:** 8943

**FILING DATE:** August 30, 2006

**FOR:** SERIAL DATA BUS, MOTION  
SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
THE EVENT-DRIVEN  
TRANSMISSION OF  
MESSAGES

RESPONSE TO OFFICE  
ACTION MAILED  
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**ATTENTION OF:**  
Art Unit 4173  
**EXAMINER:**  
Abdalla, Khalid M.

Dear Examiner Abdalla:

In response to the Office Action mailed on March 17, 2009, please consider the following amendments and remarks toward reconsideration and passage to allowance:

The **Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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